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The Honorable Charles E. Potter  
United States Senate  
Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Senator Potter:

Thank you for your recent letter recommending the firm of  
Harley, Ellington and Day, Inc. to undertake the design of our  
proposed new headquarters building.

After carefully considering a number of architects we have  
tentatively made our selection, subject only to the negotiation  
of a satisfactory contract. Your personal recommendation of  
Harley, Ellington and Day, Inc. is very meaningful to us and I  
assure you that it was not without careful consideration of this  
firm that another selection was made.

Your interest in this matter is very much appreciated.

Sincerely yours,

SIGNED

Allen W. Dulles  
Director

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MEMORANDUM FOR: THE D. ACTOR

Senator Potter has recommended your serious consideration of the firm of Harley, Ellington and Day, Inc. as architects for our proposed new building.

The attached proposed letter advises him that we have made a tentative selection after carefully considering a number of firms, including Harley, Ellington and Day, Inc. Recommend signature.

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